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Caretaker

Caretaker may refer to:

Occupations

- Janitor (chiefly in the United States), a person who cleans and maintains buildings such as hospitals and schools
- Property caretaker, a person who cares for a property
- Caregiver or carer (UK), a person who cares for another person
- Caretaker manager, someone who takes temporary charge of team affairs of a football club

Film, television and theatre

- *The Caretaker* (play), a 1960 play by Harold Pinter
- *The Caretaker* (1963 film), a British adaptation of Pinter's play
- The Caretaker (2025 film), a British independent psychological horror thriller
- *The Caretakers* (1963 film), an American drama film
- *The Caretakers* (2025 film), a Philippine horror film
- Caretaker, a character in the 1974 film *The Longest Yard* and the 2005 remake

Television episodes

- "Caretaker" (*Law & Order: Special Victims Unit*), 2018
- "Caretaker" (*Not Going Out*), 2006
- "Caretaker" (*Star Trek: Voyager*), 1995
- "The Caretaker" (*Doctor Who*), 2014
- "The Caretaker" (*Motherland*), 2017

Literature

- Caretaker (comics), a Marvel Comics character who appeared in *Ghost Rider* and the Marvel Cinematic Universe series *Helstrom*
- *The Caretaker* (Pelevin novel), a 2015 novel by Victor Pelevin
- *The Caretaker* (Rash novel)
- *The Caretaker Trilogy*, a 2006–2009 series of science-fiction novels by David Klass

Music

- Caretaker (band), an English rock band

- The Caretaker (musician), James Leyland Kirby (born 1974), English ambient musician
- *The Caretaker* (album), a 2020 album by Half Waif

Other uses

- Caretaker (military), a detachment assigned to maintain an inactive facility
- Caretaker gene, a group of tumour suppressor genes
- Caretaker government, a temporary government
- Caretaker Ministry (disambiguation), one of three short-lived governments of Great Britain

See also

- Caretakers Cottage, an Australian organisation which assists homeless kids

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